Crimes committed by eunuchs in Delhi

1086. SHRI RAJU PARMAR: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government's attention has been drawn to the news-item "Eunuch attack constable with rod in South Delhi" appearing in the media;

(b) if so, what action has been taken against the Eunuch by the Delhi Police;

(c) whether cases relating to murder, extortion, etc., by Eunuch have increased in the NCT of Delhi during the last one year; and

(d) if so, how many cases have been registered against Eunuchs and what action Delhi Police propose to take against Eunuch associations and anti-social elements to curb crimes in Delhi?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI HARIN PATHAK): (a) and (b) Yes, Sir. However, the report contained in the news-item under reference is factually incorrect as no such incident took place.

(c) and (d) The number of crimes reported to have been committed by eunuchs during the period from 16th July, 2002 to 15th July, 2003 was 22 as against 16 reported during the preceding twelve months. The Police Stations throughout Delhi have standing instructions to keep a close watch on the activities of anti-social elements including of those amongst eunuchs and take appropriate action as per law.

Corpus to deal with natural and man-made disasters

1087. SHRI VIJAY J. DARDA: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Report submitted by the Crisis Managing Group in the wake of Gujarat Earthquake, have suggested formation of a Rs. 500 crore corpus to deal with natural and man-made disasters; and

(b) if so, what are the other salient points of the Report and what modalities are to be adopted and mechanism established to implement the agreed suggestions?